

Lomita and Harbor City Schools to Open Sept. 17

Opening day of school for Narbonne high school students and four Lomita and Harbor City grade school students is Monday, September 17. Narbonne junior and senior high school is holding a pre-registration period, but dates should be secured from the school, it was announced. Nearly 21,000 Los Angeles city school teachers wind up their summer activities this week as they begin preparations for the opening of the 1956-57 school year, September 17, in the system's 508 schools.

For these classroom teachers—who will staff the city system's elementary schools, junior and senior high schools, junior colleges and adult schools—this week marks the termination of summer studies, jobs, travel, or just plain relaxation. All 21,000 teachers will report



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The latter have been busy preparing their schools—first for the arrival of the teaching staffs, and secondly for the avalanche of 530,000 students slated to descend at 8 a.m., Monday, September 17.

With the staffing of schools this week, school officials again requested parents seeking information to contact the school in their vicinity, instead of Board of Education downtown offices.

By doing this, parents will be assured of much quicker service since the central switchboards will otherwise be jammed.

A special eight-day pre-registration period for children new to a Los Angeles elementary school is now in progress through September 14 at neighborhood schools.

Children entering kindergarten must be 5 on or before December 2, while children who will attend first grade must be 6 on or before the December 2 date. Some proof of age, such as birth or baptismal certificate, must be brought by parent or guardian along with the child.

Older elementary school students who have transferred or new to the district need only show their last report card, ac-

ording to Superintendent of Schools Claude L. Reeves. Junior and senior high schools are also holding pre-registration periods for new students. But since they are scattered throughout the next two weeks, the dates must be secured from the individual schools.

Nine special information centers for parents with school bus transportation questions are also in operation now at centrally located schools throughout the district.

Among them are harbor and south area, Wilmington junior high school, Terminal 4-5276.

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